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Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Docket Number (Optional) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 65446-0087 **FY 2005** (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) November 1, 2001 Filed 10/002,536-Conf. #3282 Application Number COMPOSITIONS AND SYSTEMS FOR IDENTIFYING AND COMPARING EXPRESSED GENES (MRNAS) For IN EUKARYOTIC ORGANISMS C. B. Wilder Examiner 1637 Art Unit This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1,136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Small Entity Fee \$ \$60 \$120 One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) S \$225 \$450 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) 510.00 \$ \$510 \$1020 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$795 \$ \$1590 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$ \$1080 \$2160 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. Deposit Account Number 18-0013 I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney of agent under 37 CFR 1.34. 41,882 Registration number it acting under 37 CFR 1.34 January 21, 2005 Date Signature (248) 594-0656 James F. Kamp Telephone Number Typed or printed name NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. forms are submitted. Total of Three Month Request for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsignife transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office, facsimile no. (703) 872-9308, on the date shown below. (Wendy A. Balabon) Signature: Dated: January 21, 2005